## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This lising of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A fabric care composition comprising:
  - a) from about 0.01% to about 20% by weight, of a fabric abrasion reducing polymer, said fabric abrasion polymer comprising:
    - i) at least one monomeric unit comprising an amide moiety;
    - ii) at least one monomeric unit comprising an N-oxide moiety; or
    - iii) mixtures thereof; and
  - b) the balance carriers and adjunct ingredients; wherein the molecular weight of said fabric abrasion reducing polymer is greater than 100,000 daltons; and wherein said fabric abrasion polymer comprises one or more monomeric units selected from the group consisting of:
    - i) polyacrylamides and N-substituted polyacrylamides having the formula:

wherein each R' is independently hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl, or both R' units can be taken together to form a ring comprising 4-6 carbon atoms;

ii) polymethacrylamides and N-substituted polymethacrylamides having the general formula:

$$CH_3$$
 $--[C-CH_2]_n- C=O$ 
 $N(R)_2$ 

wherein each R' is independently hydrogen,  $C_1\text{-}C_6$  alkyl, or both R' units can be taken together to form a ring comprising 4-6 carbon atoms; and

iii) mixtures thereof;

wherein said composition further comprises from 0.001% to 50% by weight, of a dye fixing agent and/or from 0.01% to 50% by weight of a bleach protection polyamine selected from the group consisting of 1.4-bis-(3-aminopropyl)piperazine, 1.1-N-dimethyl-5-N'-methyl-9.9-N''-

dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, 1,1-N-dimethyl-9,9-N"-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, N,N'-bis(3-aminopropyl)-1,3-propylenediamine, and mixtures thereof.

## 2-6. (Canceled).

- (Currently Amended) A composition which provides reduced fabric abrasion, said composition comprises:
  - a) from 0.01% by weight, of a fabric abrasion reducing polymer, said fabric abrasion polymer comprising:
    - i) at least one monomeric unit comprising an amide moiety;
    - ii) at least one monomeric unit comprising an N-oxide moiety; or
    - iii) mixtures thereof;
  - b) optionally from 1% by weight, of a fabric softening active;
  - c) optionally less than 15% by weight, of a principal solvent, said principal solvent has a ClogP of from 0.15 to 1;
  - d) optionally from 0.001% to 90% by weight, of one or more dye fixing agents;
  - e) optionally from 0.01% to 50% by weight, of one or more cellulose reactive dye fixing agents;
  - f) optionally from 0.01% to 15% by weight, of a chlorine scavenger;
  - g) optionally 0.005% to 1% by weight, of one or more crystal growth inhibitors;
  - h) optionally from 1% to 12% by weight, of one or more liquid carriers;
  - i) optionally from 0.001% to 1% by weight, of an enzyme;
  - j) optionally from 0.01% to 8% by weight, of a polyolefin emulsion or suspension;
  - k) optionally from 0.01% to 0.2% by weight, of a stabilizer;
  - 1) optionally from 1% to 80% by weight, of a fabric softening active;
  - m) from 0.01% by weight, of one or more linear or cyclic polyamines which provide bleach protection from 0.001% to 50% by weight, of a dye fixing agent and/or from 0.01% to 50% by weight of a bleach protection polyamine selected from the group consisting of 1.4-bis-(3-aminopropyl)piperazine, 1.1-N-dimethyl-5-N'-methyl-9.9-N''-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, 1.1-N-dimethyl-9.9-N''-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, N.N'-bis(3-aminopropyl)-1,3-propylenediamine, and mixtures thereof; and
  - o) the balance carrier and adjunct ingredients;

wherein the molecular weight of said fabric abrasion reducing polymer is greater than 100,000 daltons; and wherein said fabric abrasion polymer comprises one or more monomeric units selected from the group consisting of:

i) polyacrylamides and N-substituted polyacrylamides having the formula:

wherein each R' is independently hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl, or both R' units can be taken together to form a ring comprising 4-6 carbon atoms;

ii) polymethacrylamides and N-substituted polymethacrylamides having the general formula:

$$CH_3$$

$$--[C-CH_2]_n--$$

$$C=O$$

$$N(R)_2$$

wherein each R' is independently hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl, or both R' units can be taken together to form a ring comprising 4-6 carbon atoms; and

- iii) mixtures thereof.
- 8. (Canceled).
- (Previously Presented) A composition according to Claim 1 further comprising a dispersibility aid system, said system comprising:
  - i) 0.2% of ethoxylated cocoyl amine having an average of 10 ethoxy units; and
  - ii) 0.1% of ethoxylated cocoyl alcohol having an average of 10 ethoxy units.
- 10. (Currently Amended) A method for providing fabric with decreased abrasion damage comprising the step of contacting a fabric with a composition comprising:
  - from 0.01% by weight, of a fabric abrasion reducing polymer, said fabric abrasion polymer comprising:
    - i) at least one monomeric unit comprising an amide moiety;
    - ii) at least one monomeric unit comprising an N-oxide moiety; or
    - iii) mixtures thereof;

- b) optionally one or more fabric enhancement ingredients; and
- c) the balance carriers;

wherein the molecular weight of said fabric abrasion reducing polymer is greater than 100,000 daltons; and wherein said fabric abrasion polymer comprises one or more monomeric units selected from the group consisting of:

polyacrylamides and N-substituted polyacrylamides having the formula:

wherein each R' is independently hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl, or both R' units can be taken together to form a ring comprising 4-6 carbon atoms;

ii) polymethacrylamides and N-substituted polymethacrylamides having the general formula:

$$CH_3$$
 $--[C-CH_2]_n$ 
 $C=O$ 
 $N(R)_2$ 

wherein each R' is independently hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_6$  alkyl, or both R' units can be taken together to form a ring comprising 4-6 carbon atoms; and

iii) mixtures thereof:

wherein said composition further comprises from 0.001% to 50% by weight, of a dye fixing agent and/or from 0.01% to 50% by weight of a bleach protection polyamine selected from the group consisting of 1,4-bis-(3-aminopropyl)piperazine, 1,1-N-dimethyl-5-N'-methyl-9,9-N''-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, 1,1-N-dimethyl-9,9-N''-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, N,N'-bis(3-aminopropyl)-1,3-propylenediamine, and mixtures thereof.

11-12. (Canceled).

- 13. (Currently Amended) A composition according to Claim 1, further comprising from 0.001% to 50% by weight, of a said dye fixing agent.
- 14. (Currently Amended) A composition according to Claim 1, further comprising form from 0.01% to 50% by weight of a said bleach protection polyamine selected from the group consisting

of 1,4-Bis-(3-aminopropyl)piperazine, 1,1-N-dimethyl-5-N'-methyl-9,9-N''-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, 1,1-N-dimethyl-9,9-N''-dimethyl dipropylenetriamine, N,N'-bis(3-aminopropyl)-1,3-propylenediamine, and mixtures thereof.